

IN THE CLAIM

Please amend Claims 1 to 4, as the following. The amendment is based on the suggestions in the office action by Examiner and thus no new matter is added.

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

Claim 1. (Twice amended) A skate comprising a front seat, a rear seat and a buckle and a lower cover for connecting the front seat and the rear seat; wherein

the buckle is installed in the ~~round~~ lower cover and tightly fixed to a predetermined position of the front seat, the buckle is fixed to an upper side of the lower cover by a stud, a tooth bank integrally formed to a bottom of the rear seat and engaged to a lateral side of the buckle;

an upper side of the lower cover has a confining seat; the confining seat has guide grooves at two sides thereof; a locking shaft seat is formed between the two guide grooves; and

the buckle has a stepped elliptical hole at a predetermined position thereof; the elliptical hole is aligned with the locking shaft seat of the lower cover so that the locking shaft seat is within the elliptical hole; thereby, the buckle slides ~~slide~~ along the linear guide grooves of the lower cover; one lateral side of the buckle has engaging teeth which protrude downward and extend inward so that the engaging teeth are engaged with the tooth bank at a lower end of the front seat; one end of the buckle which passes through the lower cover has a receiving hole; a spring is positioned in the receiving hole; an outer end of the spring is in contact with the front seat;

wherein the buckle can be pressed by a user from a lateral side; the buckle will compress the spring so that the engaging teeth of the buckle separates from the tooth bank; and thus the size of the skate is capable of being adjusted.

2. (Previous Amended) The skate as claimed in claim 1, wherein a

periphery of the lower cover is installed with a buckling disk; thereby, the lower cover is tightly coupled to a lower end of the front seat by buckling.

3. (Twice amended) The skate as claimed in claim 1, wherein lateral wings of the rear seat have elastic pads installed in holes in the lateral wings.

4. (Previous Amended) The skate as claimed in claim 1, wherein a distal of the buckle is formed with a receiving hole for receiving the spring.
